

GREENWOOD CREEK STATE FOREST

Nature Trails and Snowmobile Trail

The Greenwood Creek State Forest is located in the Town of Pitcairn. The total distance of Nature Trails available is just over 2 miles. The New York State Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC) manages the forests along the trails.

There are two separate trails available as part of this nature trail system. The larger loop is 1.8 miles in length and begins in the picnic area. Once leaving the picnic area the trail winds its way along Greenwood Creek, past the falls, through hardwood and softwood forests, and then follows a small brook for approximately 200 yards before the trail completes the loop and ends back at the picnic area.

The smaller trail is $\frac{1}{4}$ mile long and leads from the picnic area to an observation platform overlooking a wetland habitat through which Greenwood Creek flows.

The snowmobile trail runs for two miles over an old logging road from the West Side of Greenwood Creek road south of the picnic area. The trail continues through the forest to old route 3 now called Graham road.

The Fine crew of the YCC constructed the nature trails in 1981. The Star Lake crew of corps has since maintained the trails.

Directions

Greenwood Creek State forest can be found by following State road 3 easterly from Harrisville toward Star Lake. The forest will be on the south side of Route 3 between Pitcairn and Fine.



